

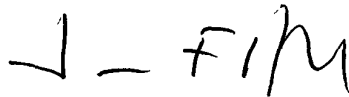
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Claim 8 has been cancelled. Accordingly, we believe that the present application is in condition for allowance.

No fees are believed to be payable with this communication. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1170.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J - F B", is written over the typed name.

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